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MME. ELLY NEY CHARMS AUDIENCE

NOTED PIANIST PLEASES IN LAST NIGHT'S RECITAL

PLAYS THIS MORNING

For an Hour and a Half She Played At College This Morning Because She Enjoyed It

The large audience that heard Mme. Elly Ney, "greatest woman pianist," at the College Auditorium last night was enthusiastically appreciative. The concert was the fourth number of the Music Week series and was the star attraction of the week. The enthusiasm instantly aroused, and continuing unabated through the evening, seemed greater than at any one-artist concert ever given before Maryville music lovers. Encores were demanded after each group by Mme. Ney, whose manner of playing completely captivated her hearers.

Such a variety of subjects as were included in her program, proclaimed, in their rendition, a warmth and wealth of imagination, and a breadth of understanding which stamp her as an artist of the highest order.

In the opening group, which included the Bach "Chromatische Fantasie and Fuge" and three movements of Beethoven's "Appassionata" Sonata, the music seemed to flow from her powerful fingers. In the ease of her performance, the difficulties in her program and the thorough schooling of her art were nearly forgotten, so much did her music seem a part of herself.

The second group was a study in contrasts. Brahms' E flat Rhapsody was given with the brilliancy the composition demanded, and the next number, a valse by the same composer, was played with an appealing delicacy. She gave delightful interpretations of the other three numbers, "Fruhlingsglaube" and Serenade—"Hark, Hark the Lark" (Schubert-Liszt), and [illegible]'s Scotch Dances.

Four of Chopin's compositions were featured in the final group. They were Nocturne C minor, two Etudes and the A flat Ballade and all were played with earnestness and lovely effect. The concluding number, the Liszt Rhapsody No. 14, brought forth much applause and the artist very graciously responded by playing two encores.

At the regular assembly hour this morning at the College, Mme. Ney played for the students. A large number of townspeople attended the assembly.

She asked President Lamkin if she might use the piano this morning. He gladly consented, and telling her that the college had its regular weekly assembly this morning, asked if she would consent to playing for the students. "I would be delighted to," exclaimed the Madame.

For more than an hour and a half she played to the students this morning. Every number, with the exception of one, was different from last night's program. She requested that there be no applause this morning, saying that she didn't wish to feel as if she was giving a concert, but was merely playing because she enjoyed it.

The management of Music Week is to be commended upon securing such an artist as Mme. Ney, for the outstanding attraction of the week's events. Maryville was fortunate in securing her, for it is the first town in Missouri to secure her for a concert, although Joplin, Springfield, and St. Louis have attempted to secure her.

Jasper Davis to The Reform School

Jasper Davis, a 12-year-old boy, will be taken to the reform school at Boonville this evening by Sheriff Steve Roach. The young boy has been in trouble several days but was paroled on condition that he attends school. It seems the boy would not attend school so his parole was revoked.

Chamberlain Leaves U. S. Shipping Board

Washington, May 9—George B Chamberlain, formerly United States Senator from Oregon, today resigned from the United States Shipping Board, effective June 30. His resignation was accepted by President Harding. Mr. Chamberlain will practice law in Washington.

T-2 Pilot Claims Bride as Reward

Los Angeles, May 9—In the presence of brother officers and aviators and parents, and a few close friends, Lieut. John A. MacReady, who with Lieut. Oakley Kelly, recently startled the world with the first non-stop coast to coast air flight, will late today claim his reward of the flight in the person of Miss Millie J. Turner, who promised to wed him if he reached San Diego without a stop.

ALL CHURCHES TO HONOR MOTHERS

METHODIST PROGRAM IS MADE PUBLIC TODAY.

RESOLUTION IS PASSED

Young People Request That Everyone Write Mother on Sunday.

The Mother's Day program at the First Methodist Church has just been announced by the pastor, Dr. C. C. James. The orchestra will furnish the music for Sunday School. Margaret Remus will give a Scripture reading. A reading will be given by Juanita Miller, and Ruth Houchens will sing, "A Mother's Visit" by Wathall.

The church wil be decorated for both the morning and evening services. The subject at the regular morning hour will be "At the Home of the Potter." C. Byron James will sing "Mother Machree." Arrangements for transportation to the church have been made for the older members of the congregation. The regular community sing will be held at night, and an echo song will be given.

Sunday is to be nationally observed as Mother's Day.

Resolution:

In view of the fact that the Young People are promoting this observance to heighten the spirit of this laudable tribute to mother, Be it resolved that every one be asked through the medium of the press to remember Mother particularly on May 13th, Mothers Day, as well as the entire week. If it is not possible to be associated directly with her see to it that she has a letter from every son and daughter or other rememberance to gladden her heart and show the appreciation of her many sacrifices to you, her child.

Signed 9th District Council,
Orville Sutterlin, President,
Evelyn Raines, Vice President,
Laveta Epperson, Secretary.
Frederick Kurtz, Treasurer.

Mrs. Sarah Devault, 82, Dies at Elmo

Mrs. Sarah Davault, an old resident of Elmo, died at her home there at 7 o'clock this morning following an extended illness. She would have been eighty-two years old the twenty-eighth of this month. Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the M. E. Church, South, in Elmo, conducted by the Rev. E. J. Speer. Burial will be in the Elmo cemetery.

Six children survive as follows: Claude, Sam and Herman Davault of Elmo; Miss Emma Davault, who lived with her mother; Mrs. Mollie Pruitt, Elmo, and Mrs. Ollie Pruitt, Pickering. Mr. Davault has been dead for a number of years. One brother T. W. Rutledge of Ewing, Neb., also survives.

Mexican Bandits Hold An American

El Paso, Tex., May 9—An American named Newman, is being held for ransom by a band of Mexican bandits headed by Juan Galindo, according to a report from Torreon received here today. Newman was seized on a Mexican ranch, the report stated.

The same band a month ago captured Oscar W. Crowll, a San Antonio engineer, who, however, managed to escape.

Clary Funeral Tomorrow

Funeral services for Mrs. Guy C. Clary of Clearmont, who died Monday night at St. Farncis Hospital in Maryville, will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow at Clearmont. Funeral arrangements will not be completed until after the arrival of relatives tonight.

Mart Bentley of Ravenwood was a business visitor in town today.

DR. COILE DIES IN ST. LOUIS

OPERATION FATAL TO FORMER MARYVILLE MINISTER

BURIAL IN TENNESSEE

Was Formerly Pastor of Presbyterian Church Here, and Ex-College President

Special to Democrat-Forum:

St. Louis, Mo., May 9—The Rev. S. A. Coile died here today following an operation for carbuncle. Burial will take place at Morristown, Tenn.

Dr. Coile who was 66 years old, was formerly president of the Greenville and Tusculum College at Tusculum, Tenn. He had been pastor of the McCausland Presbyterian Church of this city for about three years, coming to St. Louis from Maryville.

Dr. Coile served as pastor of the First Presbyterian Church in Maryville for three years, leaving here about January 1, 1920, to take the pastorate of the McCausland Avenue Presbyterian Church in St. Louis. He came to Maryville from Lebanon, Tenn. Dr. and Mrs. Coile last visited here early in January en route to Burlington Junction to attend the funeral of their grandson, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Coile of Osceola, Ia.

Besides his widow, Dr. Coile is survived by four children, three sons and one daughter. They are Leonard Coile, Gary, Ind.; Kenneth Coile, Osceola, Ia.; Clifford Coile, St. Louis; and Mrs. Carlton Shelby, Jonestown, Miss.

The family home is at 7018 Wise avenue, St. Louis.

Dr. Coile was very popular in Maryville during his pastorate here. Not only was he interested at all times in church activities, but took a prominent part in civic and progressive movements in Maryville.

Prohibitionists Win Debate This Morning

Regular Meeting of High School Club Held—Other Society Has Program.

The high school debating club had its regular meeting this morning during activity hour. A debate was held at the meeting, between four of the club members. The question for debate was "Does Prohibition Pay?" Esther Roseberry and Elizabeth Wilkerson took the affirmative side. Esther Hull and Verlea James composed the negative team. The affirmative won. The other members of the club acted as judges.

The Claytonian Literary society also met this morning. No definite program had been arranged, so two debates were held between the club members. The questions for debate were: "Should credit be given for participating in high school athletics?" and "Should immigration be further restricted?"

No program was held in the meeting of the Victorian Literary society this morning. The members planned a picnic, which will be held next Monday evening.

Schwab Testifies in Forgery Case

New York, May 9—Charles M. Schawb, well known millionaire steel magnate went before a grand jury today to testify concerning the charges against Myrtle Hayes, Boston business woman, for alleged forgery to notes totaling a million dollars. The specific charges were sworn out by Henry A. Mark of the Stoddard and Mark bond firm. He alleged that the woman sold him a note for $25,000 signed with Schawb's name. Mr. Schawb repudiated the signature.

Miss Owen Leaves

Miss L. Anna Owen, who has been visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. J. Heifner on North Main street, for several months, left this morning for her home in Jacksonville, Mo. She was accompanied by Mrs. Heifner who will visit in Jacksonville and her former home at Macon for a month.

Miss Edith Wolcott returned last night from Kansas City, where she had been visiting friends for several days.

Mrs. O. L. Curl is ill at her home on South Buchanan street.

Search for Mounts Stopped by Scott

Freshman President Testifies That Northwestern President Ordered Search Stopped.

Chicago, May 9—Walter Dill Scott, president of Northwestern University ordered J. Allen Mills to cease his search for Leighton Mounts, three days after the later's disappearance, following the class fights in September, 1921, Mills told the states attorney office today, just prior to going before the grand jury, who is investigating the death of Mounts.

Mount's skeleton was found nine days ago under a pier. Mills was president of the freshman class. He and Roland Feltman, sophomore president, felt obligated to institute a search for Mounts, as they had been respective leaders of the classes. Before the hunt, Mills said, they notified President Scott of their intentions. The next day each received a letter to disregard all classes and everything else and come at once to the President's office. Mills said the school's publicity director was there, and President Scott ordered that the investigation of Mount's whereabouts cease.

MATCH PLAY IS ON IN GOLF TOURNEY

PAIRING FOR PRIZE PLAY MADE THIS MORNING

ARE IN TWO CLASSES

Tournament Committee Must Be Notified of Any Postponed Matches —Golf Balls For Winners

(BULLETIN).

In the first round of the golf tournament completed late this afternoon, F. C. Miller defeated the Rev. J. A. Cooper 78 to 90 in 18 holes. Miller played par golf in the preliminaries, turning in a score of 75 for 18 holes.

The pairings for the golf turnament, which started at the Maryville Country Club this afternoon were announced today. The matches must be played immediately and if any player who is matched in the tourney cannot play, he must, according to the rules, notify his opponent to that effect. A match can only be postponed upon the approval of the tournament committee.

The players have been divided into two classes according to their merit as golfers and the men in each of these classes will compete for honors. Golf balls will be given as prizes to the winners in each class.

The pairings in each class follow:

Class A

H. D. Snyder—L. Forsyth.
K. P. Phares—C. Voght.
H. S. Dowell—Uel Lamkin.
J. A. Cooper—F. C. Miller.
E. T. Dale—O. K. Bovard.
F. Gillam—C. M. Hull.
A. Niel Somerville—M. V. Sims.
Bert Rowley—L. M. Eek.
Byron Costello—W. N. Deatherage.
Geo. Wilfley—Sam McClurg.
S. G. Gillam—E. D. Keck.
B. W. Loomis—M. L. Beattie.
H. L. Haines—Paul Basford.
S. P. Allison—Geo. P. Wright.
C. P. Jensen—D. C. King.
M. S. Hamilton—M. A. Peery.

Class B

Earl Barmann—C. F. Remus.
George B. Baker—Wm. Toel.
C. M. Price—R. C. Seal.
F. Cummins—Dr. Jesse Miller, Sr.
F. P. Reuillard—B. Montgomery.
E. R. Miller—Roy Curfman.
Buster Strong—W. H. Allen.
James Todd—M. A. Lewis, Jr.
Sherman Montgomery—E. A. Maynor.
Paul Sisson—Wm. Montgomery.
F. W. Crow—L. A. Richman.
Geo. Pickens—Dr. Anthony.
George Sillers—M. Welling.
Dr. Jesse Miller, Jr.—Lloyd Heifner
B. D. Null—Ed Curfman.
H. Strong—F. G. Shoemaker.

Harmony School in Track Meet Today

Pupils in the five ward schools of Harmony are meeting in a grade track meet there today. About twenty events are being run off and classes are being divided so that each will have an equal opportunity of winning the meet. Harold S. Sawyers, principal of the school, is in charge of the meet. Cash prizes will be awarded the winners of the various events.

MAY DAY FETE IS TO BE TOMORROW

WILL BE HELD ON COLLEGE CAMPUS AT 5 O'CLOCK.

BAND CONCERT THURSDAY

One Hundred Band Musicians Will Come From Towns in County.

The May Day Fete which was to have been given on the campus of the State Teachers College tonight has been postponed. It will be given on the campus of the State Teachers College at 5 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. The postponement was caused by the recent cold weather.

One hundred musicians from practically every town in the county will participate in the joint band concert to be given tomorrow night in the auditorium of the State Teachers College. The program will start at 8:15 o'clock. The joint concert will be under the direction of Prof. C. D. Kutschinski of the music department of the College.

Barnard wil send twenty-two musicians for the concert, Conception College sixteen, Conception four, Skidmore six, Elmo five and Hopkins five. In addition, Burlington Junction, Parnell, Ravenwood, Quitman, Graham, Maitland and Maryville will send representatives to the concert. The program will be as follows:

March, "Royal Decree" (English).
Overture, "Princess of India" (King).
Waltzes, "June Twilight" (King).
March, "Sempre Fideles" (Sousa).
Medley, "Melodies of Stephen Foster" (Holmes).
March, "Frontier Echoes" (Watson).
Descriptive, "A Summer in Hawaii" (Wheeler).
March, "Legionaires" (Barnhouse).
Overture, "Arcadia" (Laurens).
March, "American Legion" (Bugliono).
Overture, "Scenes From Operaland" (Hayes).
March, "Stars and Stripes Forever" (Sousa).

S. E. Richeson Named High School Inspector

Hopkins Superintendent Named By State Superintendent Lee For This District

S. C. Richeson of Hopkins has been appointed high school inspector for the Northwest Missouri State Teachers College district. This district comprises nineteen counties in this section of the state. Mr. Richeson will assume his new duties August 1 and will have offices in the administration building of the college here.

Mr. Richeson attended the University of Missouri during the summer sessions of 1915, '16, '17 and '18. He was graduated from the Teachers College here in 1921. Last year he was president of the Northwest Missouri Teachers' Association. He has been superintendent of the schools at Tina and Norborne as well as at Hopkins for two years.

His appointment was made by Charles A. Lee, state superintendent of schools, and the official notice was received Saturday.

Wabash Officials Through Here Today

The president's special of the Wabash passed through Maryville at 12:55 today at noon. The train made no stop here. The party is making an inspection trip over the road to study general conditions such as the road bed and the stations.

In the party were J. E. Tansig president of the Wabash Railway Co., C. E. Cotter, general manager of the road; W. C. Maxwell, vice-president, in charge of traffic; L. S. Scott, vice-president in charge of accounts; H. J. Sargent, assistant to the president; T. J. Jones, general superintendent; G. A. Sido of transportation; R. H. Howard, chief engineer of maintenance of way; G. F. Hess, superintendent of motive power; G. S. Ward, chief special agent; T. J. Frier, purchasing agent; H. E. Watts, acting traffic manager; John Maloney, acting passenger manager.

Mrs. Ummethum Here

Mrs. M. A. Ummethum of Kansas City arrived in Maryville last evening for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. E. G. Orear.

U. S. Shipping Board Vessel on the Rocks

San Francisco, May 9—The United States shipping board vessel, Gebhart, went on the rocks early today on the Washington coast, according to an S. O. S. radio message received here. The coast guard cutter, Snowhomish, is speeding to her assistance but will not arrive for several hours. The last radio message received said that the ship was in no immediate danger.

GRADE PUPILS TO GIVE AN EXHIBIT

ALL GRADE PUPILS' WORK TO BE SHOWN THURSDAY.

ASSEMBLY BY FIFTH B

Demonstration in Physical Education to Be Given Under Miss Dora Scheffskey's Direction.

At 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon, the fifth B grade, under the direction of Miss Dora Scheffskey will stage an assembly in the high school gymnasium. This assembly is different from the assemblies held previously, in that it is a demonstration of the physical education that the pupils have had during the past semester. This is the reason that the assembly will be held in the gymnasium instead of the auditorium. The program will consist of different games, calisthenics and drills, and folk dances. The closing number will be a minstrel, given by the pupils of the grade. Every one is invited.

The program will probably be over by 2:45 o'clock. From that time until 4 o'clock an exhibit will be held in the different class rooms. This exhibit will consist of practically all of the work done by the grade pupils during the past half-year. Each class room wil contain the exhibit of work done by that particular class. The exhibit will include many things, such as posters, drawings, domestic science and manual training work, graphs, and all other subjects included in the course of study. The parents, and all others who are interested are asked to come and see the kind of work done by the children.

After 4 o'clock the students from the College will visit the school building in order that they may see the exhibit.

Cold Weather May Damage Alfalfa Crop

The mercury in J. R. Brink's official thermometer went down to 31 degrees this morning. This was four degrees lower than yesterday morning. It is thought that not much damage was done to fruit and garden plants except in the lowlands.

According to several farmers in town today, the cold weather during the last two days has damaged the alfalfa crop to a considerable extent. It cannot be determined at present whether or not the early fruit and vegetables are damaged, but several persons say that gardens have been slightly hurt due to the sudden drop in temperature.

Chicago, May 9—The North and Middle West as far as Kentucky, was covered with a blanket of snow today. Practically every state north of the Kentucky line was hit by the sonw storm, some getting as their share, sleet and slush, or cold rains. Chicago streets were slush covered and heavy and wet snow was banked on street cars. The temperature went below freezing. A belated rush was made for coal supplies.

It is thought that no damage was done except to the fruit, according to experts, because of the backwardness of things, caused by the late cold spring.

Lake Superior and Lake Michigan ships felt their way through the heavy ice floes. Shipping was just starting when the storm broke. The weather forecast promises no immediate release.

Conception Leads 1 to 0.

Conception College was leading 1 to 0 at the end of the second inning of today's ball game. Cordes, short stop in the Conception team, scored the only run so far. Batteries for Conception are Mallen and Schumacher; for Maryville, England and Dixon Westhoff and Worley are the umpires.

BANDITS THREATEN "FLESH TICKETS"

WILL TORTURE CAPTIVES IF RANSOM ISN'T PAID.

HARD BLOW TO CHINA

Washington Officials Believe This Outrage Will Lose Recent Advantages at Conference.

Shanghai, May 9—"Unless troops are withdrawn from pursuit we will send 'flesh tickets' that will cause them to retire," was the gruesome threat of the Chinese bandit leaders, who captured a number of American men, women, and children and others upon a raid of the Peking express, according to word received here from Linchen today.

"Flesh tickets," is a Chinese expression meaning parts of the human body. It is the custom of Chinese bandits to send out flesh tickets to hasten the payment of ransoms. This means that the hostages are being tortured for the flesh tickets consist of an eye, ear finger or some other part of the victim's body.

An American commercial traveler, named Day, who was sent out by the bandits to demand the ransom, reported the threats of torture being made against the captives. He arrived in Tien Tsin the day after the hold-up. In his dispatch to Shanghai he told of the threats against the lives of the captives and added a description of his own escape.

Reports from Linchen say that the bandits have demanded a million dollars ransom for the release of Chevalier Musso, son of the former ambassador to China and the best known Italian resident in this country.

Six Americans are said to have reached Peking. All emphasized the harshness of the treatment received. They said that they were released when a Chinese magistrate, Tieng Sien, offered himself as security for their release. All gave a vivid description of the savage greed with which the women prisoners were stripped of their jewels and forced to walk barefooted or in thin silk stockings through the rough mountainous trails.

Peking, May 9—An attempt by a foreign missionary, Tain-Fu of Shantung province, to obtain the release of the women and children held by the train bandits, was frustrated by the arrival of the war lords with troops and machine guns, according to information brought here by M. Hinz, a German engineer passenger upon the raided train.

Washington, May 9—Little headway has been made by the Peking authorities for the immediate release of American and other foreigners, kidnapped by the Shantung train bandits, so far as the state department has been advised today. Only meagre dispatches have been received from Dr. Jacob Gould Schurman, minister to China and these contained no news of progress.

Washington, May 9—Sleeping, lethargic China, the sprawling giant stretching half way across Asia, has literally thrown away the advantages which was earned at the Washington armament conference a year ago.

This represents the well-nigh universal opinion of Washington officials and diplomats, who have watched with growing concern the outcome of the governmental chaos in Peking following the spectacular Shantung express bandit raid.

China came to Washington a year and a half ago seeking to be freed from interference from the outside in her internal affairs. With the aid of the United States delegates and others, China succeeded in removing most of the foreign grip that had been strangling her since the Boxer Rebellion in 1900.

The great world powers after much discussion, agreed to take their fingers out of the Chinese pie and as a results treaties were signed, which Secretary of State Hughes characterized as the "new Magna Charta of the Chinese people."

The powers agreed to let China have more customs, re-affirmed the policy of the "open door," and finally all agreed to the sovereignty and independence of China, to provide the

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THE WEATHER.

Fair and warmer tonight and Thursday.

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LARGEST CIRCULATION IN NODAWAY COUNTY

A LESSON IN OPTIMISM.

What a lesson there is in the story of Miss Anna Curless, an inmate of the County Farm, as told in yesterday's Democrat-Forum. An unfortunate woman, with no relatives in the world and who has spent fifty years of her life in the County Farm, has worked twelve years in order that she might have a decent burial place—and she is happy!

By this example, right in our midst, it seems that happiness is not a by-product of riches. It takes more than gold and silver to bring joy into a life. The wonderful enthusiasm of a worker who has accomplished something with her own hands is sometimes greater than the mere contentment of the millionaire.

Every citizen of Maryville, who read the story of Anna Curless, should have greater faith in human beings and a more fervent joy of living. This is a wonderful example of true optimism. It should create a greater faith in all of us.

What Page Ads Cost in Large Magazines

Readers of the largest magazines of national circulation often wonder just what a page advertisement costs and often the guesses run into fabulous figures. As a matter of fact, the most expensive advertisements from the cost per page is in the Delineator, at $8,000 for a single page in black. Colored printed pages cost considerably more. The Saturday Evening Post is next in cost at 7,000. These costs seem outrageous to some people, yet they are good investments, made by the smartest business men in America, men who know by experience that it pays to advertise.

The page cost of a number of leading periodicals is given below:

Ladies Home Journal	$2,500
Good Housekeeping	2,500
Woman's Home Companion	6,300
Delineator	8,000
People's Popular Monthly	2,000
McCall's Magazine	6,000
Saturday Evening Post	7,000
Literary Digest	4,000
Colliers	3,000
American Legion	1,287
Christian Herald	1,200
Hearsts	1,350
American	4,200

Martha Washington School Enjoyed Concert

Last Friday the school was dismissed at noon and the members of the school board came with their cars, and took us to the College to hear the Kansas City Little Symphony Orchestra. We enjoyed it very much and saw and named the various musical instruments. The numbers we liked best were: "The Doll's Dance," "Sleighing Song," and the soprano solo.

The mother of John Dickie of this community passed away last week. Her funeral was held Sunday afternoon.

School closes Friday, May 11. We will have a Health Program at the schoolhouse Friday night.

Several farmers of this community have a great deal of corn already planted.

At the community meeting held at the school house last week, it was decided to have a Fair or corn show at the schoolhouse next fall. Committees were named to meet and discuss it. The School Film was shown the same evening. Afterwards the ladies of the Peace and Harmony Club served cake, pie and coffee.

Miller On Barnard Program

Prof. Harry Miller of the State Teachers College will deliver the Commencement address to the graduating students of the Barnard High School on Monday, May 14. The baccalaureate sermon will be given on Sunday, May 13 by the Rev. Alva Huff. He also has the following dates scheduled for addresses:

May 11, Mt. Moriah; May 15, Graham; May 17, Guilford; May 18, Osborne; May 19, Nettleton.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads

Forumettes

Have you ever noticed
How everybody knows
How everybody else
Should do something?

We are told it takes nine tailors to make a man. One little woman can break him.

It is hard to make an undertaker believe there is such a thing as survival of the fittest.

You can bet those fellows you hear getting mushy about the "dear old farm" don't have to live there and do the work.

Uncle Abner says the man who can deliver the goods does not have to blow his own horn.

Dark colored shirts which formerly were not favored by men of fashion are now considered quite the thing with the sheiks and post sheiks, a salesman at a clothing store tells us. However the "work shirt" has not come into popular favor yet in Maryville.

We were in a doctor friend's office the other evening when a man came in with a badly burned hand to be dressed. After it was dressed and the man departed doc explained that a box of safety matches exploded in his hand. Apparently there are other things in the same class as unsinkable ships and fire proof buildings.

Louise, the stenographer, says it seems to her that the only reason some Maryville people tell the truth is to stir up trouble.

The court house cynic, says some men will live in a town all their lives establish a reputation for honesty and make a lot of friends, then spoil it all by going into politics.

Our stenographer says she always reads all the outdoor signs on the bill boards and the dead walls hoping to find a misspelled word.

What a difference a few years can make. A certain man who feels he was cheated in the matrimonial market and was always complaining about his wife spent twenty years dreaming about the girl he passed by in the old home town. A few days ago he visited the old home town and saw his dream girl on the street. He returned home with the conclusion his wife is not so bad after all.

Vagrant Musings

The only reason a lot of people are always throwing bricks at society is because they are on the outside.

If you don't trust your self, how do you expect others to trust you?

An inquisitive woman (and man for that matter) gets a lot of information which is not true.

Many a marriage which was made in a drawing room has been broken in the court room.

All a lot of people have laid up for a rainy day is a borrowed umbrella.

Today's Vaudeville Patter

Biff—Congratulate me, old man, Mable promised to marry me last night.

Bang—Bugs! She promised her mother six months ago that she would do that.

J. H. Street Heads Darlington School

J. H. Street of this city was elected superintendent of the Darlington consolidated school at a meeting of the Darlington school board held Monday night. His salary will be $1,900.

The Darlington consolidated school is a first class high school maintaining classes in domestic science, manual training and planning to add vocational agriculture. The school building will be enlarged by the addition of two more rooms by the time school opens in September. There are over 200 students in the school and many are taken to the school in school wagons.

Mr. Street has been superintendent of the Wilcox consolidated school district. He has also been superintendent of the Worth, Mo., school.

Mary Elizabeth Henderson, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Henderson, who has been ill for several days, is slightly improved today.

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Oldest bank in the county. More than fifty years of service. Liberty Bonds bought and sold.

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We are now offering a great many bargains in merchandise of integrity at reduced prices

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Some of the biggest bargains we have ever offered in bath towels are now on sale at special prices of 25c, 50c and 89c. If you are in need of bath towels don't fail to take advantage of these special offers.

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Very special value now in a full high quality bleached sheet, 81x90 inches, very special at each only $1.69.

SUITS

We are very anxious to close out the suits which we now have on hand and have made ridiculously low prices in order that they may move quickly.

All $25.00 suits now only...$16.75
All $29.75 and $35 suits now only $21.50
All $39.75 up to $49.75 suits now only $29.50
All better suits sold up to $69.75 now only..... $45.00
A few finer suits worth up to $90.00 each now only.....$55.00

CLOAKS

Every cloak in our store now greatly reduced in price. If you haven't already bought a new spring coat, here is a great opportunity for you to buy one with a great saving.

One small lot of last season's cloaks that are worth three or four times the price, now each only $6.75
All $12.50 to $15.00 coats now each only $8.75
All $19.75 to $25.00 coats now each only $16.75
All $29.75 to $35.00 coats now each only $22.50
All $39.75 to $49.75 coats now each only $32.50
All $52.50 to $65.00 coats now each only $45.00

Your choice of all our handsome coats which sold from $69.75 up, now only $55.00

HOUSE DRESSES

Charming imported gingham dresses for porch or afternoon or house wear of the beautiful Queenmake and also a wonderful assortment of coverall aprons in gingham and percales; your choice of any of these attractive garments now at ¼ off the regular price.

SKIRTS

One big lot of fancy plaid sport skirts in both pleated and plain, a real bargain at each only $2.95

Your choice of any other wool skirt in our store at 20% OFF.

BRASSIERES

One big lot of brassieres in the finer quality, regular $1.50 to $2.50 grades; there are only a few of every style but if your size and style is here, it is a real bargain now at each ½ the former price.

FINE TISSUE

36 inches wide, the very finest quality of tissues (four inches wider than the ordinary kind) a wonderful collection of patterns to select from, now very special, per yard only 50c

CORSETS

One big lot of much higher priced corsets in an excellent quality pink batiste, elastic top, all sizes now, each only.....$1.00

CURTAIN MATERIALS

36 inch ribbon edge scrim curtain material, made with one inch ribbon border, very special now at per yard only 15c

36 inch fine quality marquisette in white, cream or ecru, now per yard only 19c

All other curtain nets, laces, etc. now at 20% OFF.

GLOVES

Perrin's imported guaranteed kid gloves in two and three clasp wrists in a large range of colors, now only, per pair.....$2.50

Kayser 16-button length silk gloves in all colors and all sizes, now only, per pair.....$1.50

Kayser short silk gloves, double finger tip in all colors now at only, per pair 75c

HOSIERY

Women's pure thread silk hose, full fashioned with seam up the back, a real bargain now at per pair only $1.89

Buy your children's hose at this store and get the very best values for the price you want to pay.

An excellent quality in a children's ribbed hose in all sizes from 6 to 10, now per pair only.....25c

Phoenix silk hose for women are nationally known from coast to coast as being the best values in silk stockings that it is possible to buy. We have them in all the new shades in all the qualities. Once you wear Phoenix hose you will always wear them.

BLOUSES

We are anxious to reduce our stock of fine blouses before the new ones arrive. Your choice of any silk blouse in our store selling from $7.50 up now ½ the former price.

GINGHAM

The most wonderful assortment of gingham we have ever shown you will find on sale now.

The very best apron check gingham that it is possible for you to buy now, per yard only.....17c

"Everwear" dress gingham in a large collection of patterns, very low priced now for this May Sale, 27 inches wide now per yard only 17c

32 inch fine Zephyr gingham in a large collection of patterns, the kind that is sun and tub proof now per yard only.....23c

A big collection of the very finest gingham now on sale at the special low price of.....39c and 50c per yard.

40 INCH UNBLEACHED MUSLIN

40 inch unbleached muslin in a very fine round thread cloth that will bleach out white in one or two washings, a real bargain now at only, per yard.....19c

SILKS

40 inch all silk, heavy weight crepe de chine in almost any color that you would desire now only, per yard $2.00

Canton crepe in the beautiful extra heavy quality, very special for this great May Sale at, per yard only $3.00

33 inch very fine quality in colored Pongee in all the new Sport shades, very special now at per yard only $1.69

33 inch very best quality natural colored Pongee now only per yard $1.39

RATINE

Excellent quality 36 inch Ratine in all the new sport shades, very special now for this May Sale at, per yard only 49c

DOTTED SWISS

The very best quality imported Dotted Swiss, 36 inches wide, most any color that you would want now only, per yard 95c

MECCA SUITING

This is a beautiful medium weight basket weave material used so extensively for sport suits, skirts, blouses, etc., in a large range of all the new sport colors now only, per yard 69c

Haines

The Biggest Little Store in the United States.

Society

Meeting Postponed

The regular meeting of the Royal Neighbors, which was to have been held tomorrow afternoon, has been postponed to 8 o'clock, Friday night, May 18.

Brides' Bridge Club

The Brides' Bridge Club was entertained yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Byron Costello on East Fourth street. The guests included, in addition to the club members, Mrs. George Sillers and Mrs. Frank Cummins.

Married at Wheatland, Wyo.

Frank Thompson of Dwyer, Wyoming, formerly of Maryville, and Miss Nellie Bibbey were united in marriage Sunday, May 6, at the Methodist parsonage at Wheatland, Wyo. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Butler. Only the near relatives of bride and groom were present. After the ceremony they returned to the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Ralph Blunk, where a bountiful dinner was served to the following guests: The bride and groom, Mr. and Mrs. John Bibbey and son, Everett, Mr. and Mrs. Oran Thompson and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Moss and son, Arlyn, Mr. and Mrs. Will Holkom, and the host and hostess and daughter, Nellie June. They are at home to their many friends on the Erb Mozingo farm, 2½ miles east of Dwyer.

Surprise Miss McClurg

A surprise birthday party was given Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas L. McClurg near Pickering to observe the birthday anniversary of their daughter, Miss Mamie McClurg. A basket dinner was served at noon in cafeteria style and the afternoon was spent socially. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ingels, Mrs. Myrtle Gillispie and children, Charles and Gertrude, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Laughlin and children, Nina, Carrie and Rob, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Evans and son, Leo, of Lenox, Ia., Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Laughlin and children Gerald and Virginia of Creston, Ia. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Schooler and children, Delmar, Fred, Marie and Eugene, Miss DeLora McClurg, Johnnie and Lawrence Laughlin, Harland Hantz, Lester Hollensbe, Vilas, Milo and Ivan McClurg, and the guest of honor.

Program on Kipling.

A program on Rudyard Kipling, English novelist and poet, was given at the meeting of the Mutual Improvement Circle yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Eugene Ogden. Devotions were led by the hostess and in response to roll call the members gave current events. Mrs. W. B. Price gave an interesting account of Kipling, who was born in Bombay, India, and educated in England. Mrs. J. J. Heifner discussed "The King's Pilgrimage;" and Mrs. R. L. Larmer, "The Recession." A Kipling story was told by Miss L. Anna Owen, and Mrs. J. D. England read one of his poems. Mrs. Charles McNeal gave an original story and the concluding program number was a spelling drill conducted by Mrs. Louisa L. Catterson. The members were required to spell and define one hundred words. Nineteen members and two retired members, Mrs. W. W. Stiwalt and Mrs. England, were in attendance. At the next meeting May 22, when Mrs. W. B. Price will be hostess, a Mother's Day program will be given.

Rebekah Lodge

Rebekah Lodge, No. 209, will meet at 8 o'clock Thursday night in I. O. O. F. Hall. As there will be degree work the degree staff, also all Lodge members, are urged to be present. Following the regular meeting an entertainment will be given.

Line Party.

Following the regular meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary to Seth Ray David Post, V. F. W., last night six of the members enjoyed a line party at the Empire Theater. They were Misses Agatha and Louise Kroetch, Mrs. Earl Sturm, Mrs. Nettie Warren, Mrs. Steve Donahue and Mrs. Jack Pennington.

Auxiliary Meeting.

The regular meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary to Seth Ray David Post, V. F. W., was held last night in the Post rooms. Mrs. Gay Leeper and Mrs. Leo Knox were initiated into the auxiliary. During the business meeting arrangements were made to plant red poppies, the Post flower in the yard of each auxiliary member. The flowers will be grown to sell and also will be used in decorating for Post parties and entertainments.

White-Wentworth.

Mrs. Dellie White of Omaha, a daughter of Mrs. S. S. Wolcott of Maryville, and A. W. Wentworth of Omaha, were married Wednesday, May 2, in Fremont, Neb. The bride formerly lived in Burlington Junction.

Willard-Johnson Bout Arouses Some Interest

Interest among the pugilistic fans is being aroused over the Willard-Johnson bout to be staged in the Yankee stadium in New York Saturday afternoon.

It is Willard's big chance to show a "come back" and if he succeeds in knocking out Floyd Johnson he may stand a chance of entering the ring again with Jack Dempsey.

In the last several days the Johnson stock has taken an upward trend because of the improvement he has shown under the training of Willie Lewis. It is said that Lewis has taught him to science of delivering a punch with his whole body behind it and has weaned him from the bad practice of leading with his right hand. Youth is in favor of Johnson, as Willard is well over the 40-year mark.

There is little known about Willard's ability at present. He is training with Harry Drake, a light-punching Englishman. When he was in Kansas City several weeks ago, the sport writers there claimed that he looked to be in better condition than ever before. The Willard-Johnson bout will start at 3:45 o'clock, Eastern daylight savings time.

Jack McAuliffe of Detroit is matched with Luis Angel Firpo, the South American pugilist, for a 15-round contest as a preliminary to the Willard-Johnson contest.

Wes Miller of Burlington Junction was shopping in town today.

Empire Theatre

Tonight and Tomorrow

Agnes Ayres, in

"LANE WITH NO TURNING"

Also comedy. 10c—22c and 3

Friday and Saturday—

Alma Rubens, in

"THE VALLEY OF SILENT MEN."

James Oliver Curwood Story.

Also Comedy. 10c—22c and 3c

A PLEASANT PLACE FOR GENTLE FOLKS.

SENIORS SELECT CLASS PLAY CAST

ANNUAL AFFAIR TO BE GIVEN MAY 24.

"LITTLE WOMEN" PICKED

Twelve are in Cast—Miss Laura Hawkins and Miss Alma Lucas to Direct.

The Senior class of the Maryville high school will present "Little Women," as its class play this spring. The play is taken from the book by Louisa M. Alcott. Marian DeForest has adapted the story for use on the stage. There are twelve characters in the play. These were picked from the senior class, and rehearsals will start next week.

Miss Laura Hawkins and Miss Alma Lucas, English instructors at the high school, will direct the play. The play will be presented on May 24.

The following is the cast:

Mr. Marsh—Robert Mountjoy.
Mrs. Marsh—Alyce Allen.
Aunt Marsh—Mary Curl.
Meg—Zelma Neal.
Jo—Margaret Louise Hosmer.
Beth—Lota Claire Landfather.
Amy—Roberta Cook.
Hannah—Mattie Wyatt.
John Brooks—LeRoy Jones.
Laurie—Harold Moore.
Professor Bhaer—Milo Vickery.
Mr. Lawrence—Richard Baker.

Selecting the class play was a rather difficult task this year. There are sixty-nine members in the graduating class, and it was first planned to have a play with a large cast, so that all of the seniors could be in the play. This plan was finally discarded, however, and "Little Women" was picked as the play. There will probably be some other numbers in the class day program, so that most of the class members will have a part in the program.

Farm Bureau Man to Be on Federal Board

E. H. Cunningham of Iowa Will Succeed Michigan Man for National Organization.

The appointment of E. H. Cunningham, secretary of the Iowa Farm Bureau Federation as the farmer member of the Federal Reserve Board, will doubtless meet with general approval with western farmers. Mr. Cunningham takes the place of Milo Campbell of Michigan, who died soon after his appointment.

Members of the Nodaway County Farm Bureau who have met Mr. Cunningham in various Farm Bureau meetings during the last two or three years are very much pleased to learn of his appointment to the Federal Reserve Board. They regard him as a man of great ability. His home is near Cresco in northern Iowa. He has served three terms in the Iowa legislature and was speaker in the House of the 35th Assembly.

He has always been an active worker for better marketing of farm products, particularly grain and livestock. He has been secretary of the Iowa Farm Bureau Federation since March, 1920, and served also as director of the U. S. Grain Growers, Incorporated, being placed at the head of the Sales Agency of that organization when it was reorganized about a year ago.

Some complaint is heard among farm leaders about the policy of the Reserve Board immediately following the war which resulted in what they thought was too rapid deflation in prices of farm products. There was a demand that the farming interests should have a representative on the Federal Board, whose sympathy with the needs of the farmers and whose knowledge of banking would in the future prevent a policy which would be unfair to the farming interests. The measure introduced by Senator Frelinghuysen, of New Jersey and passed congress last winter created the position on the Federal Reserve Board to which Mr. Cunningham has been appointed.

Harding Cancels His New York Trip

Washington, May 9—President Harding's proposed trip to New York tomorrow to attend the funeral of General Ballington Booth of the Salvation Army, was announced at the White House today.

The pressure of public affairs will prevent his going, the statement said.

HEAVY FIGHTING REPORTED IN DE VALERA'S COUNTY

Dublin, May 9—Heavy fighting between the Free State troops and the irregulars were reported today in the County Wicklow, home of Eamann De Valera.

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BANDITS THREATEN "FLESH TICKETS"

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"fullest and most unimpaired opportunity to develop," and to refrain from seeking commercial advantages there.

The treaty was heralded as the "Chinese Bill of Rights" and sought to lend a helping hand. China agreed to reorganize its government, especially its military, financial and judicial departments.

The world powers have lived up to their parts of the agreement but China has failed, is the almost universal opinion of officials here.

So the serious necessity of international intervention looms close at hand.

Solution Ofefred for Transportation Ills

By Representative Newton of Missouri Before U. S. Chamber of Commerce Convention

New York, May 9—Railroad traffic in the United States doubles every ten years but the United States has fewer miles of rail lines than it had six years ago, Congressman Cleveland A. Newton of St. Louis, declared this afternoon before the annual meeting of the United States Chamber of Commerce.

"The railroads are not attracting investors because they cannot pay enough dividends, and without capital they cannot expand," he added. He continued:

"How can the railroads increase their earning power without increase of rates and the public demanding a reduction in freight rates."

As a solution of the transportation problem he suggested a system composed of highways, waterways and railways, not engaged in destructive competition but "co-ordinating and cooperating."

"Before such a system can be operated," he said, "Congressional projects for the improvement of rivers must be completed."

Late Telegraph News

Kansas City, May 9.—Kansas City is a natural center for air traffic, Major General Mason M. Patrick, chief of the air service of the United States said today after a study of air routes at the Richards flying fields.

General Patrick commented favorably on the field after an inspection and praised the enthusiasm in flying manifested by the Kansas City young men who promoted it.

"The Richards field compares favorably with any field I have seen in the United States," said General Patrick.

Kansas City, May 9.—The 1923 harvest wage in the middle west wheat belt must be higher than last year, state and federal employment heads agreed today at the opening session of the ninth annual meeting of the National Farm Labor Exchange here.

Increased activity in commercial construction and industry with the accelerated production in Oklahoma and Kansas oil fields were cited as strong competitive factors that would make the farmers pay more money to obtain sufficient help to harvest the coming crop.

Various state labor commissioners reported a slight shortage of farm labor. They cited $40 a month with board in Nebraska and $50 a month with board in the Dakotas as evidence that agriculture must pay higher wages to attract men to the wheat fields.

Approximately the same number of harvest hands will be needed in Oklahoma and Kansas as last year, according to Claude H. Connally of Oklahoma and John H. Crawford of Kansas, state labor commissioners.

Topeka, Kan., May 9.—Frank J. Ryan, secretary of state, announced today that he is preparing to round up all detectives and detective agencies operating in Kansas without a state license. The recent state legislature passed a law requiring all detectives to take out a license with bond approved by the secretary of state. A $50 license fee is charged.

COTTONWOOD ITEMS.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Dilley and family spent Sunday with Jess Hart's near Hopkins.

Mr. Bolten Neff will get through planting corn this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Carver and Mrs. Carver of Elmo went to Maryville Sunday to see Mrs. Ray Carver, who is in the hospital at that place.

Mr. and Mrs. John Adkins and Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Adkins visited at the home of James Kelly Sunday.

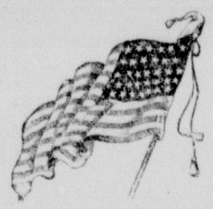
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McCord were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Sloan Sunday.

Our school will be out Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Adkins have moved to the property of Luke Adkins where they will make their home.

Mella Neff visited with her grandmother Saturday.

What of America?



Shall This Government Live or Die?

Were the pictures which have been drawn by political jealousy faithful likenesses of the human character the inference would be that there is not sufficient virtue among men for self-government; and that nothing less than the chains of despotism can restrain them from destroying and devouring one another.—James Madison, the Federalist, No. LV.

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How New York Was Forced Into the Union

As the contest went on the remark of Washington that "the opposition to the Constitution is addressed more to the passions than to the reason" was well illustrated. In the Massachusetts convention when it met the language of the frenzy. They attacked the makers and the supporters of the Constitution more than the document itself. In fact, few outside of the opposition leaders seemed to know what was in the instrument, and this was true generally in the country. The lawyers, one member charged, were to be the beneficiaries of the new government. "The men of learning the moneyed men, the fine talkers," he said, "make us poor, illiterate people swallow down the pill. They mean to get all the money into their own hands, and then they will swallow up us little folk like the great Leviathan, Mr. President; yes, just as the whale swallowed up Jonah."

Another member waving away the great names paraded by the Federalists, declared that in this matter he "would not trust a flock of Moseses."

A standing army, racks and gibbets would be the mildest of the "instruments of discipline" the federal government would employ, it was predicted. "Had I a voice like Jove," thundered another delegate, "I would proclaim it throughout the world; and had I an arm like Jove, I would hurl from the globe those villians that would dare to establish in our country a standing army."

The result was long in doubt, and the slender victory the Federalists won when they carried the Constitution by a majority of twenty was only gained by their consent to accept some amendments to be proposed to congress. Even this compromise was denounced as the work of Judases."

Whoever walks down Federal street in Boston today can reflect that it acquired its present name from the circumstance that this convention was held in a building that stood on that thoroughfare, then called Long Lane.

Massachusetts ratified in February, 1788, and Maryland, South Carolina, New Hampshire and Virginia followed in the spring and summer of that year; and although the "New Roof" was now a certainty, all eyes turned on New York, where Toryism and anti-Federalism were known to be in a majority.

Led by Governor Clinton, the combined enemies of the Constitution gained clear control of the convention, but they were in no hurry to act. They didn't want to come into the Union, but they were not at all sure that they dared to stay out.

The battle for ratification was led by Hamilton. His arguments were unanswerable, but Clinton had what, in politics, is more effective than the most convincing arguments. Clinton had the votes. He had, moreover, a kind of argument, that struck nearer home to the self interest of the state. New York had the chief port of entry for the states and their carrying trade was largely in its hands. If New York stayed out and could induce Virginia and North Carolina, the planter states, to stay out, too, they could join together and, taking in territory to the west, form a league of their own that would be a formidable rival to the United States.

Such was Clinton's plan. Governor Randolph of Virginia had refused to sign the Constitution at Philadelphia, and Clinton believed he would be against its ratification at Richmond. The New governor broached his plan to the Virginia governor, and meanwhile the New York convention marked time. But communication was slow; Randolph, as it proved, was not an irreconcilable; he came round in the Virginia convention, and while Clinton was indulging his dream Virginia ratifed.

New York was now out on a limb. To stay out of the Union alone, of with only North Carolina and Rhode Island to keep her company meant commercial ruin. The United States would erect customs barriers against her (as it actually did later in the case of Rhode Island); and so, after a month of bargaining in the convention, the Clinton forces finally agreed to ratify in exchange for a long string of amendments.

But party spirit did not regard the contest as closed. The struggle for the Constitution now became the struggle for control of the electoral college, the elections for which had been fixed for the first Wednesday in January, 1789. It was the bitterest in New York, where the law gave that office to the legislature. There the Clinton Anti-Federalist forces held the assembly and the Federalists the senate. The result was a deadlock, the day passed without a choice, the legislature adjourned and New York paid for its politics by being deprived of a voice in the election of the first President of the United States.

The electors were not, as in our day, pledged to any candidate for President or Vice-President. Their choice was free, except that in voting for two persons for these offices it was required (as it still is) that one of them at least should not be an inhabitant of the same state with themselves. Until the twelfth amendment to the Constitution was adopted in 1804 the electors did not vote for President and Vice-President separately, but simply for two persons, and of those two the one receiving the greatest number of votes became President and the other Vice-President. There was, therefore, in this first choice of electors no electioneering for candidates, the contest turning as in that over the Constitution, on the issue of Federalism and Anti-Federalism. But if the electors were unpledged, everybody knew on whom their choice for President would fall. The only uncertainty was over the choice for Vice-President, and here, indeed, there was some political intriguing not unworthy of the art as we know it today. The Anti-Federalists wanted Clinton for that place, and during the month that elapsed between the choice of electors and their meeting there were many ingenious attempts to keep votes from going to Adams. The opposition to Adams pretended to fear his vote would approach too close to Washington's, and their concern was great. The way to avoid that unhappy result, they urged, was to vote for Clinton.

The electors met the first Wednesday in February and cast a unanimous vote for George Washington for President. There were sixty-nine votes and Washington received sixty-nine. Adams was given thirty-four votes and became Vice-President.

(To be continued in The Democrat-Forum tomorrow).

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The automobile has spoiled the dog as a draft animal. Dogs learn to ride in the cars and now insist in riding in the kids' little wagons rather than pulling them.

Man Dances 160 1-2 Hrs. for New Marathon Mark

Dallas, May 9 — Claiming the world's official dancing endurance record, R. J. Newman, left the floor at 4:35 o'clock this morning after dancing continuously for 160 hours and 35 minutes. Newman was ordered to stop by the physicians who said that his pulse was increasing and his blood pressure was raising, making it dangerous to continue. An unofficial endurance record of 167 has been hung up, but Newman claims that it is not recognized by the Dancing Masters Association.

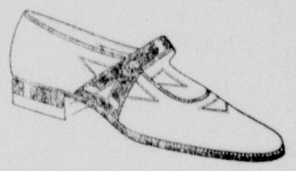
On St. Joseph Market

Nodaway County shippers on the St. Joseph stock market yesterday were:

J. A. Brittian with 48 steers and heifers, 707 lbs., $8.25.

J. T. Large with 17 stockers, 676 lbs., $7.40.

REMUS Merc. Co.



The "Babette"

As pictured, is a saucy cut out sandal strap developed in soft Beige Elk with Patent Leather trimming. Plain soft toe, low rubber heel, Goodyear welt $5.75

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Fried Chicken! A few 2 lb. frys at 50c per lb. Mrs. Marion F. Smith, 408 North Ave. Farmers 244. M5tf

BATH TUBS—$27.00. James Smith Plumbing and Heating Co. Hanamo 560 Kane Building. M3-tf

BUY, SELL OR EXCHANGE stoves furniture and rugs, Case Furniture Exchange. J23tf

Electric Lamps, Holt Supply Co. 1-11

FOR SALE—Apperson Chumie 6, good repair, at Sewell Garage; cheap. Inquire there. 5-11

Alfalfa, Sudan and Cane Seed, Holt Supply Co. M1-tf

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FOR SALE—sow pig at 521 South Hester street. 27-30

FOR SALE—Good coal cinders 75c per load, Wm. Everhart. 7-10

FOR SALE—Red tried sow and pigs, double immune; white gilt to farrow now any time, double immune; black sow and pigs; good price if taken soon. 802 E. Thompson. Hanamo 4569. 7-9

FOR SALE—Lloyd reed baby carriage. Mrs. J. W. Arnett, 319 West Second. 7-9

FOR SALE—Singer sewing machine, suitable for top work. Ben Malam at Lanning's Tire and Top Shop. 9-11*

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SEED CORN—Iowa grown. See Smith and Braniger, Seed and Storage. A21-M20.

Telephone batteries and hot shots. Holt Supply Co. 1-11

FOR SALE—Early tomato plants, 15c dozen; 2 dozen for 25c; postage extra; sweet potato plants ready about May 10. Walter E. Johnson, Pickering. 30-tf

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In small cook stoves;
In latest model porch swings;
In good shape iron beds;
In nice kitchen cabinets;
In tables of all sizes;
In some extra good dressers.
At the Case Furniture Exchange. 5-11

FOR SALE—33 head of feeding calves this week. Glen Cooper, Wilcox phone. 8-10*

FOR SALE—Good Ford touring car, good condition, or will trade for milk cow. Josh Bliss. 722 E. 2nd. 8-10*

FOR SALE—Poland-China yearling hog, Liberator. Call S. S. Webb, Burlington Junction. 8-9*

BEDDING PLANTS, Hanging Baskets, Coleus Plants. Evergreen sweet corn, garden seeds at reduced price for ten days. Strader and Clapper, 217 North Main. 8-10

I have a special price for quick sale; will take good Maryville residence.

One 80-acre farm.
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FOR SALE—Black sow and pigs, week old; $25 if taken soon. Hanamo 4569. 9-11

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Girl with experience. New York Candy Kitchen. M7-tf

ALL KINDS OF BRICKWORK and concrete work. Guy Kissinger, 207 South Saunders. Hanamo 3706. A16tf.

WANTED—Lawn mowers to sharpen and repair at Armstrongs Foundry. A19tf

Store your stove with Smith and Braniger. M2-June2*

WANT to make your auto tops. Work guaranteed. Lanning Auto Top and Tire Shop, east side of square. A28-tf

FOR RENT—Two nice clean modern rooms for light housekeeping. Hanamo 3625. M5tf

WANTED—Salesmen to represent the International Correspondence Schools, Scranton, Pa., in St. Joseph territory. A real opportunity for right party. In reply state education, present position, age, married or single, and give references. Address, E. B. Carter, 210 Logan Bldg., St. Joseph, Mo. 9-10*

College student wants place to help with house work during summer term for room and board. Inquire Democrat-Forum. 7-9*

LOST—P. E. O. pin, name of Pricia Speilerberg on back. Return to this office. 7-9*

FOUND—Bunch of keys at Country Club Sunday. Inquire at Democrat-Forum. 8-10

WANTED—Men who can qualify for managers and who are willing to start at the bottom. We are opening up new branches. Good pay while learning. See Mr. Schmidt at Linville Hotel after 6:00 P. M. 9*

FOR RENT—sleeping room, close in. Gentleman preferred. 504 North Buchanan. 8-10

WANTED—Permanent representative in every county to sell nursery stock. Hustlers can make from $50 to $75 a week while actively convassing. No capital necessary. Cash weekly. Write for terms. The National Nurseries, Lawrence, Kansas. 8-14*

FOR RENT—Store building at Orrsburg. Inquire Mrs. C. Hilsabeck, 1124 East Jenkins. 9-10*

FOR RENT—Pasture, $1.50 per head per month. Lattin Bros., route 5. 9-11*

LOST—Oakland crank, on Clearmont-Hopkins road. Fred Yeomans, Hopkins or Democrat-Forum. 9-10*

MARKET REPORTS

Chicago, May 9—CATTLE—Receipts, 12,000.
HOGS—Receipts, 27,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 10,000.

St. Louis, May 9—CATTLE—Receipts, 3,000.
HOGS—Receipts, 18,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 500.

Kansas City, May 9—CATTLE—Receipts, 7,000.
HOGS—Receipts, 16,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 7,000.

St. Joseph, May 9—CATTLE—Receipts, 2,200.
HOGS—Receipts, 10,000; top, $7.25.
SHEEP—Receipts, 4,500.
Cattle 15 cents higher; hogs 15 cents lower.

TODAY'S MARKET

Eggs, per dozen	21c
Butter,fat, per lb	34c
Springs, per lb	25c to 30c
Hens, per lb	17c to 19c
Roosters, per lb	6c
Ducks, per lb	11c
Geese per lb.	8c
Hides per lb	7c

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Seal will motor to St. Joseph tomorrow morning to spend the day.

Poultry

Vigorous pure bred S. C. Reds, good dark red color Hogan tested. Eggs utility $4.00 per hundred. Month of April pen No. 1, $1.50 per setting. Satisfaction guaranteed. Mrs. Ed Shreve, Pickering. M6tf

S. C. R. I. eggs from reds that are red and have layed at 5 months of age, Mahood Owens and Brehm strain, $1.25, $2, $3 per setting prepaid. J. Ward Stevenson, Graham, Mo. A23-M23

Eggs for hatching, pure bred white rocks. Mrs. Henry Cook, both phones. 7-12*

Framing Up Evidence

YOU KIDS ALL STAY RIGHT HERE WHILE I GO IN AND ASK MY MOTHER IF I CAN GO BARE FOOTED AND IF SHE SAYS NO, WHY THEN I CAN PROVE TO HER THAT ALL THE KIDS DO IT, SEE
GEE, HE LIVES IN A SWELL DUMP ALL RIGHT ALL RIGHT
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Parnell

Willing Workers

J. C. Calkins and family of Sheridan were business visitors in Parnell Saturday.

Elias Roof and family of Conception visited Sunday afternoon with A. J. Roof and wife.

Mrs. J. S. Matteson and her mother Mrs. Frank Mittlestetter of Grant City went to Kansas City Saturday to be present at the graduation of Miss Ruby Mittlestetter from the General Hospital School for Nurses.

W. C. Nelson was in Maryville transacting business Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Campbell entertained at Sunday dinner Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Spoonemore and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Walker.

Carl Timmerman was in Maryville on business Monday.

Jesse Herndon returned Monday to St. Joseph after spending the week end here with his daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Kennedy were entertained at dinner Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. John Blackburn. After dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. George Wilson and Misses Millicent Beard and Myrtle Cox.

D. Kimmerling and wife visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Harris and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. McCarey and son, Ferman and Miss Pauline Klaas of Conception Junction were guests at the Orley Miller home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Miller entertained Mr. and Mrs. Tom O'Day, Mr. and Mrs. Harry John Mayfield and family and John Adams and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Berg and children spent the evening Sunday with F. X. Berg and wife.

Mrs. Jas. LaFavor called on Mrs. James McLaughlin and daughter, Miss Jessie Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Hubbel and Miss May Percy spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Miller and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Tennicook and Mrs. Meeker of Conception visited with Mr. and Mrs. DeWitt Sunday evening at the home of Mrs. Julia Jones.

Wm. Morgan and family Mr. and Mrs. Earl Myers and Mr. Freemont Trump visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Myers.

Mr. Lewis Moser and brother Edwin and Mr. George Hudson motored down from Omaha Saturday and visited with Mrs. Julia L. Jones and B. A. Jones and family. They returned home Sunday evening accompanied by Mr. Jones who will look after business in Omaha a few days.

The building known as the Morgan Barn has been sold to C. O. Harman, and L. C. Gooden who has been occupying it has moved into the Harman building on the south side of the park.

Claude Enyart, Dr. Hinkley, Mr. Miller and Mr. White all of Stanberry were calling on B. A. Jones Sunday.

Misses Lolita and Veronica Hall and Marie Funderberg and Messrs. Austin Felton, George Pfeifer of Conception and Adolph Ringle of St. Joseph were entertained by A. Waldeier and wife Sunday.

James Barber and wife visited at Wm. Beekman's Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Bird and sons Edward and Erman and Beatrice Hall spent Sunday with Edward Busby and family near Maryville. The boys remained for a week's visit with their grandparents.

Mrs. Margie Morris has been employed to teach the Myrtle Tree School next winter.

The news has been received here that a daughter was born April 27th to Mr. and Mrs. Clive Carroll at Torrington, Wyo.

Chas. Myers, Jr., of Worth is spending the week with his uncle Chas. Myers Sr. and wife west of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shellman have been visiting several days with their daughter, Mrs. Alfred Hobson near Grant City. They returned home Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Myers.

Miss Dot Davis of Guilford visited at the Chas. Evans home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. F. X. Berg are visiting this week with their daughter, Mrs. Roy Fitzsimmons at Conception.

M. T. Faulkner and wife and grandson Ralph Faulkner of Blockton were visiting in Parnell Sunday.

Randolph Batt and sister Miss Evadne were in Maryville Friday.

Mrs. Stites and daughters, Pauline and Uva visited in Guilford Saturday.

H. E. Nigh visited with home folks near Gaynor Sunday.

Misses Rosetta Klaas, Georgia Gaynor and Mrs. Egbert Crowson were in Ravenwood Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Peterson and daughter, Blanche, Mrs. W. A. Conn and daughter, Vastiti were shopping here Saturday.

Henry Boedeker and family and John Boedeker and family spent Sunday with their mother, Mrs. Anna Boedeker.

Little Misses Beatrice Hall and Clara Inez Cummins spent Saturday night with Mary Margaret Meyers south of town.

B. A. Brashear returned from the hospital at St. Joseph Thursday evening.

Mrs. Hunterson of Ravenwood was shopping here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John O'Day and daughters, Marie and Mrs. Anna Messbarger were in Maryville Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bennett of Kansas City were business visitors here Saturday.

Gerald Carroll who is attending S. T. C. visited home folks over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Spire and children were visiting in Conception Sunday evening.

Misses Stella and Mamie Behm of near Hpokins and Messrs Oren Nigh and Lewis Sparks visited with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond DeFreece Sunday evening.

Striped Melon Bugs Will Destroy Crop

Paris Green and Many Kinds of Dust Will Kill These Tiny Melon Pests.

The little stripped melon beetle is a tough customer in the melon patch, and has ruined more than its share of the fruit. Only recently have any successful methods of combating melon beetles been brought out by entomologists of the Experiment Stations. Our Grandads have dusted the plants with lime, sulphur, ashes, tobacco, etc., and more recently a mixture of 15 pounds air slacked or hydrated lime, one pound dry arsenate of lead and one half pound of Paris green applied as a dust has been recommended to melon and cucumber growers; but still better than this are the dusts which contain nicotine sulphate and are sold under the name of nico-dust. This has proved to be the most effective remedy against melon beetles.

Nico-dust has not yet come into general distribution through retail channels but can be obtained from some of the wholesale manufacturers and through some of the larger distributers of chemicals. One brand known as nico-dust 10 sold by the T. Leo Adams Companies, Kansas City, Missouri, is highly recommended. The dust is applied with the little hand dusting gun or more expensive dust sprayers. The volatile nicotine in the dust also has the advantage of controling plant lice which were very destructive to melons last year.

Potato Bugs Will Soon Begin Work

Arsenate of Lead Will Aid in Killing Off These Insects

Our fat friend, the Colorado potato beetle will soon be here. The next few warm days will find him sitting in the sun on a clod in the potato patch waiting for the potato to come up. Mrs. Bug will not then waste any time laying a bunch of orange colored eggs on the underside of the potato leaves and a few days later the little soft red baby bugs will be eating the leaves.

If all bugs were as easily controlled as this one the bug man's troubles would be few. Arsenate of lead mixed with water and sprayed on the vines will stop the bugs in a hurry. Three pounds arsenate of lead in fifty gallons of water, or three tablespoons to the gallon, is about the right proportion to use. One pound of dry arsenate of lead mixed with six pounds of air slacked lime and dusted on the plant when they are moist with dew might prove more convenient to many growers and just as effective.

Too many times when a woman finds her ideal man some other woman has a mortgage on him.

S.S.S. keeps away Pimples

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increase your Red-Blood-Cells. That's the sure way! S. S. S. builds Blood-Cells; this means strength! makes it fit to circulate. S. S. S. is acknowledged to be one of the most powerful, rapid and effective blood-cleansers known. You don't have to use some new fad treatment that is mere guesswork, you don't have to smear things on your face in a vain effort to get rid of eruptions. Eruptions come from blood impurities and a lack of rich blood-cells. S. S. S. builds new blood-cells. This is why S. S. S. routs out of your system the impurities which cause boils, pimples, blackheads, acne, blotches, eczema, tetter, rash. That's why S. S. S. has done such wonderful work in freeing thousands from the scourge of rheumatism. S. S. S. is also a remarkable flesh-builder. That's why underweight people can quickly build up their lost flesh, get back their normal weight, pink, plump cheeks, bright eyes, and "pep." S. S. S. is sold at all good drug stores. The large size a more economical.

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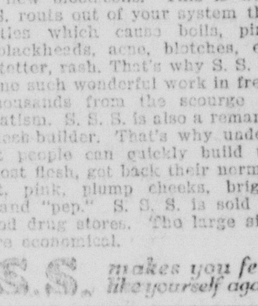

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Rooms Wanted

For the students attending the summer quarter of the State Teachers College. If you have furnished homes, apartments, light housekeeping rooms for men and women, call Mrs. A. R. Perrin, Hanamo 146 from 1 to 6 p. m.

Tomorrow—

Is the 10th day of the month and the last day of Discount on your Electric Light Bills. Your bill is at the office.

Office Closes at 6:00 p. m.

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FOURTH A GRADE WORKS PROJECTS

TWO SUBJECTS STUDIED UNDER MRS. B. E. CONDON, JR.

STUDY LIFE OF INDIANS

Sand Table Used to Visualize Project —Dutch Settlers Are Also Studied.

Two projects have been completed by the pupils of the fourth A grade at the public school this semester. The pupils, under the direction of Mrs. B. E. Condon, Jr. first took up the study of the life of the American Indian. After this project was completed, they studied about the Dutch settlers. The children had been studying of the colonization of America, and both projects were more or less connected with the history course.

In the study of the Indian, the pupils learned of the relation of the Indian and the white man during the early colonial period of American history. They also learned the location of the different tribes throughout the United States.

The study of this project included six important factors in the life of the Indian. These were: The home of the Indian, the occupations of the Indian, Indian dress, Indian money, Indian picture writing, and Indian customs. In studying about the Indian homes, the pupils took up the subjects of the location of the home, the manner of building them, the decoration of the homes, and the types of homes. The occupations included fishing, hunting and the growing of corn. The pupils studied about the different styles of Indian dress. They also learned how the Indians carried on transaction with wampum, or Indian money. In the study of Indian writing, the pupils learned the symbols that were used by the Indians and the materials used to write or draw pictures. Under the subject of Indian customs, came the war dances, the manner of fighting, the use of the peace pipe, the different superstitions of the Indians, Indian burials, and the Totem Pole.

Sand Table Models.

The pupils, to better understand the subjects that they had studied, made a model in the sand table. This model was taken from Longfellow's poem, "Hiawatha." It represented the "Big Sea Water," the wigwams, the pine forest, and many other things mentioned in the poem. The children made paper canoes, Indians, wigwams and other models and decorated them with the Indian designs. In this way they learned many things, that they otherwise would not have obtained by reading alone.

In connection with this project, each pupil made a notebook cover to keep compositions in. These covers were decorated with Indian designs. The project utilized the subjects of history, reading, language, spelling, geography and art. By showing the outdoor life of the Indian, the project was a lesson in health and fresh air.

Besides the sand table and composition work, the project was conducted by reading, drawing and oral recitations, pictures, lantern slides.

Dutch Settlers Studied.

After the project on the American Indian was completed, the class took up the subject of the Dutch settlers. This project was conducted in practically the same manner as the former one, namely: sand table, compositions, readings, discussions and so forth.

The sand table is especially good. It represents a Dutch village, and nothing is left out. At one side is the dike, and behind it are the houses and canals and windmills. Dutch natives are everywhere seen, carrying buckets, sweeping or driving dog carts. Like the sand table in the Indian project, this sand table is all the work of the pupils.

Class Members.

The members of the class are as follows: Otis Auffart, Everett Baker, Homer Black, Ford Bradley, Murrel Cline, William Garrett, Earl Gilbert, Donald Hall, James Jackson, Maurice Jackson, James Kissinger, Donald Liston, Kenneth Moore, Melvin Shelton, Myron Swinford, Ralph Westfall, Carl Wiles, Arthur Pugsly, Artie Ashford, Gladys Bartram, Iva Broyles, Reba Butler, Jalia Cornett, Mabel Cox, Audrey Dinsmore, Treva Edwards, Katherine Eisenman, DeLoris Gray, Lucile Leeson, Lucy Lloyd, Virginia Lucas, Louise Masters, Virginia Miller, Alice Miller, Martha Partridge, Mary Roberts, LaRue Robey, Myrtle Schimmings, Argie Shelton, Arline Sherman, Lois Walton, Pearl Wright.

John Duncan Here

John Duncan of Kansas City was a visitor in Maryville today. Mr. Duncan was a former resident of this city, his parents being Prof. and Mrs. B. F. Duncan. Mr. Duncan expects to be here over today.

COMMENCEMENT AT GAYNOR SATURDAY

EIGHTH GRADE PUPILS TO BE GRADUATED THEN.

ADDRESS BY LAMKIN

Ravenwood Commencement Last Night —Leslie G. Somerville, County Superintendent, Gives Address.

President Uel W. Lamkin of the State Teachers College, will go to Gaynor Saturday to deliver the commencement address to the eighth grade graduates there. County superintendent, Leslie G. Somerville, will present the diplomas. The exercises will be held in the First M. E. Church of Gaynor.

There are ten graduates in the class. They are: Beula Pettit, Annice DeWitt Loren Garrard, Knowles Nally, Caroline Edwards, Cleo King, Milo Holton, John Worley, Hubert Koger, and Lawrence Reddick.

The following is the program:

Invocation.

Quartet—America for Me.

Solo—Faded Old Love Letters, Annice DeWitt.

Solo—The Lamplit Hour, Dorothy Hepburn.

Address—Uel W. Lamkin.

Pantomime—Star Spangled Banner.

Presentation of Diplomas—Supt. Leslie G. Somerville.

Benediction.

A large crowd attended the graduation exercises of the Ravenwood school last night. The program was given in the school auditorium. Thirteen eighth grade graduates received their diplomas. Leslie G. Somerville, county superintendent, delivered the Commencement address. The program was as follows:

Piano solo—Audrey Nelson.

Vocal solo—Mabel Wygal.

Class play, "The Henpecked Husband," given by the Ravenwood students.

Reading—Virginia Yearly.

Pianologue—Harold Marvin.

Commencement address—Leslie G. Somerville, "Looking Forward."

The following students received their diplomas: Maude Leary, Harold Lewis, Eldon Henay, Audrey Nelson, Thelma Stoneburner, Marvin Morin, Charlie Thomas, Hazel Row, Mabel Wygal, Izeyl Dack, Marvin Shanks, Virginia Yearly and Ogeul Thomas.

Hogs Lowest Since January, Last Year

With a further break of 15 cents in the hog market today, hog prices touched the lowest point in sixteen months. Top dropped to $7.25 today which is the lowest price at which good hogs have sold on the St. Joseph yards since January 10, 1922, when the top was $7.30.

There were 10,000 hogs at St. Joseph, 16,000 at Kansas City, 18,000 in St. Louis, and 27,000 at Chicago.

The St. Joseph Daily Stock Yards Journal had the following:

In March, 1922, the top rose to $11.20, which is the high point between the two extremes. Since the winter packing season opened last fall the market has been, up to within the past three weeks, remarkable for its steadiness, tops holding close around the $8 mark, seldom getting far above or far below that figure. In the last three weeks, however, packing interests have taken a decided stand for lower cost of their porker droves and have been hammering prices at every opportunity. Whether the punishment that the market has had to take will check receipts and permit a comeback in prices is a matter of speculation in the trade and in country producing circles. Some of the well posted ones predict that recent breaks will cause the country to cease ordering cars while others figure that with corn prices so high the country will clean up regardless. At any rate farmers are not feeling very good over the prices hogs are bringing in relation to the price of corn.

AUG. 23 M. U. DAY AT FAIR

Alumni to Have a Booth for Trophies And Pictures

The State Fair Board has designated Thursday, August 23 as University of Missouri Day. The program will be the same as last year and is in charge of R. L. Hill. The president of the University and the governor of Missouri will be honor guests.

W. T. Angle, secretary of the Pettis County Alumni Asosciation, is in charge of the luncheon and Dean F. B. Mumford will be toastmaster. Jack Crawford of Sedalia will be in charge of the parade. Last year several hundred alumni and former students were present at the exercises of the University of Missouri Day.

George P. Shoptaugh of Elmo was in Maryville today.

LITERARY SOCIETIES IN FINAL PROGRAMS

THREE ORGANIZATIONS AT COLLEGE IN LAST MEETING

INTERESTING PROGRAMS

Excelsior Society To Hold O. W. Holmes Day While Eurekans and Philos Have Other Numbers

The three literary societies at the State Teachers College will give their final programs of the year at their meetings tomorrow. There will be meetings held next week for the election of officers but the programs which will be given tomorrow will be the final ones of the year. They follow:

Eurekan Society

Roll call.

Flute solo, "Song of India"—Harvey Bush.

Reading—Miss Jeanette Brock.

Vocal solo—Miss Mabel Raines.

Stunt—Misses Ruth Cline and Helen Miller.

Song—Society.

Philomathean Society

Reading—Miss Blanche Silvers.

The Value of a Literary Society—Miss Nellie Halasey.

What this society has meant to me—John Querry.

Music—Harry Nelson, David Max and Fred Nelson.

Excelsior Society

Oliver Wendell Homes Day.

Holmes, the poet—Clarence Broderick.

The Boys—Everett Wright.

"The One Hoss Shay"—Helen Tebow.

Piano duet—Misses Helen and Gladys Buehlman.

"The Courtin"—Charlotte Welchel.

"Grandmothers Story"—Ethel May Gibson.

The Value of Humor—Leo Halasay.

Burlington Junction Defeats Water Bonds

Scant Majority of 2 in Yesterday's Election Against Water And Sewer Bond Issue

By a narrow margin of two votes, Burlington Junction lost its proposition yesterday in a special election to issue $70,000 in bonds to provide funds for the building of a water and sewer system. The vote cast upon the proposition was 307 votes for and 159 votes against. A two thirds majority was necessary for the proposition to carry. As one vote was disqualified, the exact majority was one against the sewer and two against the water bond issue.

There is already some talk of holding another election upon the bond issue proposal. This is the second time it has been defeated, the majority against it at the first election being 46. However, six weeks must elapse before another election may be held.

Announces Birth of Daughter

Fred W. Smith, county clerk, received word today that a daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Beck at Elk City, Okla., on May 2. Mr. and Mrs. Beck were in Maryville practically all of last summer, Mr. Beck being one of the auditors checking up the county offices.

ELECTRIC THEATRE

PHONE NO. HANAMO 602, FARMERS 111.

LAST TIME TONIGHT—Owen Moore and Tom Wilson in "REPORTED MISSING." Don't miss it. Also one reel comedy. Night shows at 7:30 and 9:00—10c and 33c.

Thursday, May 10, one day only—

Hoot Gibson in "The Gentleman From America"

With Louise Lorraine. (Copyright 1923). Be sure and see this for it has as many thrills as it has laughs. Also International News. Matinee at 3:00—10c and 22c. Night shows at 7:30 and 9:00—10c and 22c.

Friday, May 11—William Desmond in "DANGEROUS TOYS."

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This special carload offer gives you the opportunity to share in quantity buying. It places Delco-Light within your reach at an unheard-of saving in cost. It equips your home with electric light and power at a cost so low that it will surprise you.

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Remember that this is an opportunity to save in buying Delco-Light, the standard farm electric plant. You will get the famous 4-cycle, air-cooled, valve-in-head engine and the thick-plate, long-lived Delco-Light Battery. You will get the standard guarantee that covers every Delco-Light Plant. And you will be protected further by the liberal Delco-Light service policy. You will have absolutely nothing to lose in installing Delco-Light now.

ACT NOW—IF YOU WANT TO SAVE.

This special co-operative offer is open to only a limited number of farmers in this county. Now is the time to buy Delco-Light if you want to save.

I am ready to send you the full facts and figures about this proposition. I am ready to lay the complete details before you.

NOTICE

The Delco-Light Plants referred to in this special offer are standard Delco-Light Plants, fully covered by the regular guarantee as to material and workmanship, and fully protected by the liberal Delco-Light service policy. Each plant has the famous 4-cycle, air-cooled, valve-in-head Delco-Light engine, and the thick-plate, long-lived Delco-Light Storage Battery. Anyone purchasing a Delco-Light Plant as a part of this special carload order is assured of the same satisfaction he would receive in placing his order individually,—the same satisfaction now enjoyed by 175,000 Delco-Light users.

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J. E. Holt Electric Co.

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